

**LEAD TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**UNIRENT EDV-SYSTEMTECHNIK GMBH,**

**Defendant.**

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the Plaintiff’s Motion for a Temporary Restraining Order (Doc. No. 3). Plaintiff LEAD Technologies, Inc. asks the Court to enter a temporary restraining order (“TRO”) that will (i) prohibit Defendant Unirent EDV-Systemtechnik GmbH from using, selling, or licensing LEAD’s LEADTOOLS products pending the outcome of this litigation and (ii) require Unirent to provide customer-identifying information to LEAD. After considering the Motion, the declarations filed with it, and the record on file, the Court finds that:

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5. A TRO protecting LEAD's customer relationships will further the public's interests in enforcing contracts and preventing unethical business behavior.

Accordingly, the Court **GRANTS** LEAD's Motion for a Temporary Restraining Order (Doc. No. 3) as follows. Defendant Unirent EDV-SystemTechnik GmbH is hereby restrained and enjoined from using, selling, or licensing LEADTOOLS products. Unirent is further required to provide customer-identifying information to LEAD.

Pursuant to Rule 65(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, LEAD shall post a \$2,500 bond as payment of damages to which Unirent may be entitled for a wrongful injunction or restraint, during the pendency of this action, or until a further order from the Court.


Service of the TRO, the Summons, and the Complaint filed in this case may be made on Unirent via any method authorized by Rule 5 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

A preliminary-injunction hearing is scheduled for Thursday, November 3, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom 4A, 401 W Trade St, Charlotte, NC 28202.

The TRO will expire in 14 days or upon the issuance of an order following the preliminary-injunction hearing, whichever occurs first.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: October 24, 2022

  
Robert J. Conrad, Jr.  
United States District Judge

